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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 99,372-F)

PATENT

In re Application of: Welcher et al.

Serial No.: 09/927,850

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For: Interferon-Like Molecules
and Uses Thereof

Before the Examiner: Unassigned

Group Art Unit: 1646

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir/Madam:

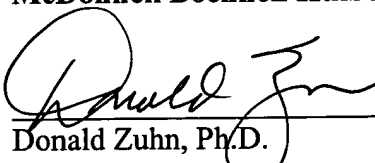
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

The undersigned representative hereby declares that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing, submitted in the above-identified application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are identical, and further, that the submission of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing adds no new matter. The 3.5" diskette contains an IBM compatible dos-text file of the sequence listing named "99372Fseq.txt." Consideration and entry of this Statement and attachments are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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